IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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NEVENKA DIMITROVA ET AL.

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(f) TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP BY CORRECTING NAME OF AN INVENTOR PREVIOUSLY NAMED IN AN INTERNATIONAL

PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

To correct inventorship in National Application No. 10/587,799, claiming priority to International Application No. PCT/IB2005/050399 filed January 31, 2008, in which inventor Jun FAN was misidentified as Jan Fan SHENZEN, please consider the remarks as follows:

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This Petition is being filed to correct inventorship previously named in International Application No. PCT/IB2005/050399 filed January 31, 2008, in which inventor Jun FAN was misidentified as Jan Fan SHENZEN. This error was a clerical error in that Shenzen is the city of residence of Jan FAN.

A prior Petition and Declaration was submitted on July 9, 2008 in response to A Notification of Missing Requirements transmitted on June 26, 2008. A Petition Decision issued on October 1, 2008 (copy attached following this petition) stating that the Petition and Declaration submitted on July 9, 2008 was insufficient because the Declaration referenced a Provisional Priority Application No. 60/637,370 and not the International Application Number nor the U.S. Patent Application No. 10/587,799, filed July 31, 2006.

Submitted concurrent herewith is a Declaration signed by each of the named inventors properly identifying each inventor and executed referencing U.S. Patent Application No. 10/587,799 filed July 31, 2006. It is respectfully submitted that Jun FAN's name was altered in the originally filed International Application No.

PCT/IB2005/050399, without deceptive intent. Accordingly, please correct the inventorship to properly identify each of the two named inventors, namely Nevenka DIMITROVA and Jun FAN. An indication to that effect is respectfully requested in a form of a corrected filing receipt.

It is believed that no fees or charges are currently due for processing this Petition other than the \$400.00 petition fee which is indicated in the Petition Decision as having been previously charged to deposit account 14-1270. However, in the event that any additional fees or charges are required for entrance of the accompanying Petition to Correct Inventorship, they may be charged to applicant's representatives Deposit Account No. 50-3649. In addition, please credit any overpayments related to any fees paid in connection with the accompanying Petition to Correct Inventorship to Deposit Account No. 50-3649.

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Based on the foregoing, the Applicants respectfully submit that the inventorship should be corrected as requested and notice to this effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: 1) Corrected Declaration

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